





# Warns of Being Lulled Into False Security Because Reds Have Been Slowed Down

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AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

We shouldn't allow ourselves to be lulled into a false sense of security because the Communist offensive in Europe has been slowed down.

It's important to remember that we are not fighting a one-front conflict, but that the Bolsheviks are striking on many fronts. One of the most dangerous situations is in the Orient, where the Reds are pushing their cold-war cautiously but persistently.

The agony of China and the critical position in partitioned Korea are part and parcel of the Red world revolution. Moscow is driving hard to secure control of all Korea, which from a military standpoint is of the highest strategic value. Its possession might have a decisive effect on the content of the Chinese Communist revolution and the domination of Manchuria.

Early this week Lt. General John R. Hodge, U. S. military commander in South Korea, declared that a Communist government would be announced soon by "North Korean stooges of Soviet masters." The background for that grim prediction was this:

Russians, who occupy the northern half of the country, recently called a "unity conference" to be held in their territory to frame a constitution for a government comprising both the Russian and southern Korea. Delegates from the American sector were invited to attend. A nation-wide election had been proposed by the United Nations, but the Russians rejected this and refused to allow a U. N. commission to enter their zone. Meantime an election was scheduled to be held under American sponsorship in the southern zone on May 10 to create a new government.

Well, two southern Koreans attended the Soviet parley, which General Hodge said ought to be called the all-Korean Communist Conference instead of the unity conference. These volunteer delegates from the south were Kim Koo, an avowed rightist, and Kim Kiu-Sic, who called himself a Communist, and anti-Communist General Hodge said they had fallen into a Communist trap.

Yesterday Kim and Kim returned from the "unity conference," which had adopted a constitution for a government to comprise all Korea. And the two came back declaring that their trip "fulfilled the expectation of a large number of our fellow countrymen who are longing for the unification of our fatherland," Kim Kiu-Sic was loud in his praise of Russian rule in the north, asserting that conditions there are much better than in the south.

Kim said the Russians "leave the people alone while in the south the Americans are prone to meddle with everything. The Yankees also 'trust the wrong people,' namely Koreans who wanted to be corrupt from the Japanese."

General Hodge made no comment on this unexpected pro-Red cloudburst. The development can hardly be favorable to the election next week. While the southern zone is said to be predominantly anti-Communist, these statements by Messrs Kim and Kim are bound to add fuel to the "fire" already kindled by Red agitators in the American sector.

So far as one can forecast at this writing, the situation boils down to this: Since there isn't the slightest indication that either the Russians or the Americans will withdraw from Korea, the little country must remain divided, as is happening in Germany. This means that the occupying powers will have to maintain troops there indefinitely.

The long awaited election gave the people the chance to help choose the first popularly-elected government of this ancient and troubled land—"land of the morning calm." Kings have ruled here; so have the Japanese. But today most of

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their decision about working for the government.

Mr. Truman's order directed that, for the time being, present wage and working conditions in effect on the railroads shall be maintained.

The president said these wage conditions shall be continued until further order from himself or from the secretary of the army, Kenneth Royall.

A presidential fact-finding board has recommended a 15 1/2 cents an hour increase as a settlement of the wage dispute. Railroad management accepted it, as did nearly a score of other railroad unions.

The engineers, switchmen and firemen refused to accept it. They ask a 30 percent increase.

These unions have about 190,000 of the 1,300,000 workers in the national rail system.

Johnston told reporters that in the week-end negotiations "we have reduced our demands and tried to get a compromise. We have endeavored to get a settlement by cutting down to the limit our demands."

"We've done all the giving. They want to make a compulsory arbitration board out of the fact-finding board."

"We're not going to do it," Johnston and Robertson said. It was "too complicated" to explain how they had reached from their earlier demands.

It was indicated the concession which the unions said they would make were in operating rules, by which take-home pay is affected.

Disagreed for such a court order would lay the unions open to fines and their officers to fines and imprisonment.

The White House decision to seize the railroads was announced when it became clear no settlement was likely before the strike hours.

Press Secretary Charles C. Ross said:

"The situation remains deadlocked. 'AT 1 p.m., EDT, today, the president will issue an executive order for the purpose of taking over the railroads.'

The capitol, senator Knowland (R-Calif.) introduced legislation to make railroad workers subject to the Taft-Hartley Labor Law. They are now exempt from that law which contains provisions for court order to stop a strike threatening the national welfare.

Knowland told the Senate:

"If this is not sufficient to give the federal government, representing all of the people, an opportunity to protect the national well-being, then I believe that the Congress of the United States should meet in day and night session until adequate legislation is enacted."

Three railroad brotherhoods have called a strike for 6 a. m. (local time) tomorrow. The government's hope and expectation is that the men will not strike against the government.

The decision to seize the lines was reached after almost continuous conferences since last Friday failed to break the deadlock between the unions and the lines over wages and operating rules.

Dr. John R. Steelman, presidential assistant, was continuing the conferences at the time Ross made his announcement.

The union leaders met with Steelman at 8:30 a. m. (7:30 a. m. EST).

Representatives of the railroads were calling in for a conference beginning a half hour later.

The union delegation was headed by Alvin Johnston, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Asked whether he had any comment on the situation, Johnston told newsmen:

"The 8,000,000 registered voters were picking their own assembly which in turn will establish Korea's first independent government."

# Palestine War Strikes Christ's Burial Place



The Church of the Holy Sepulchre, said to mark the place where Christ was buried, has been hit by bullets many times in the current Palestine fighting. The Church is in the Arab zone. The Arab in the foreground points out Jewish positions, 500 yards away, to the Greek monk standing on the steps leading to one of the domes. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent David S. Boyer.)

## Much Time Needed to Put Italy on Feet

(Editor's Note: Here is a dispatch on the European recovery program in Italy by the vice president and general news manager of the United Press, who is visiting U. P. news bureaus in Europe.)

By EARL J. JOHNSON  
United Press Vice President and General News Manager

Rome, May 10 — (UP) — The American taxpayer will be disappointed if he expects his European recovery program dollars to be used to protect the national well-being.

Over the long haul, ERP will help.

If the government can hold the line against further inflation. If the recovery money can be kept from leaking into channels of political patronage.

At the moment the political scene is comparatively quiet. The leaders of the 3,000,000 Italians who voted Communist last month are not likely to make serious trouble for the government while fresh supplies and money are flowing in from America. This should give Premier Alcide de Gasperi a breathing spell in which to work out his economic reforms.

What are these reforms and how will the ERP help put them into effect? Italian government and American embassy people speak most frequently of Agrarian reform. This does not mean taking land away from big absentee owners and giving it to squatters. It means making the soil produce more, especially in the South, where the soil is worn out and there is not enough rain.

The South needs reservoirs, irrigation systems and vast supplies of chemicals to bring the soil back to life. It needs roads from farms to markets. Some richly productive valleys in the South are so isolated they can't reach a profitable market with their produce, and the growers have to sell their fruit locally at a penny a pound.

So when the government talks of Agrarian reform, it means the government plans to build reservoirs, aqueducts and good roads in the South. It means to reform sharecropping or make social reforms, although de Gasperi tells visitors he is determined to expand the country's public school system.

Obviously this is a long term program. Even if it begins at once, many years will pass before the results can be seen in any index of Italian living standards. For concrete results from this program the Italians and American taxpayers will have to wait.

"Not a damn thing," the union leaders were grinning otherwise, as they went into the racial White House huddle.

In more than 14 hours of wrestling with the two groups yesterday, President Truman's top labor adviser failed to pry even their fight deadlock over wages and working rules.

In all that time he never reached the point of bringing the opposing sides together in the same room. When Roy-By Alvin Johnston, John, grand chief engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, plodded out of the White house at three minutes after midnight, reporters asked what had gone on.

"We've been talking, talking, talking," Johnston said.

"What have you been talking about?"

"About just everything," Johnston said. "Nearly an hour later, at 12:55 a. m., the management group walked wearily out, leaving a crisp 'no comment' hanging in the cool night air."

Steelman had no statement before turning in for the night.

## Market Report

NEW YORK STOCKS  
New York, May 10 — (UP) — Late buying put props under the stock market today as pes revived that the threatened rail strike would be averted.

The president's authorization for the army to take over the roads failed to depress prices to any great extent. Carrier issues pushed up selectively in the final hour, along with a number of industrials and utilities.

Dealings were lively at intervals and transfers for the full proceeds ran to about 1,500,000 shares. The commonwealth and Southern reported a 1948 high as amendments to the company's reorganization program were considered. The stock came out on an 80,000-share block, unchanged at 3, then advanced fractionally.

Touching peaks for the year were Studebaker, Socony, Sinclair Oil and Western Union.

In front at the last were Chrysler, Youngstown Sheet, Goodyear, Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Central railroad of N. J., Northern Pacific, Du Pont, International Harvester, Electric Power & Light, International Telephone, Wilson & Co., Armour, Johns-Manville, Southern Railway and Phelps Dodge.

Bonds were uneven.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS  
Chicago, May 10 — (UP) — Strike news took command of the grain market today and caused enough nervousness to protect the grain market from firm tone. Many contracts showed most strength, particularly May corn. Tradings were not active.

Wheat closed 3-4-1 1/2 higher. May 2-4-3 1/2-2-4-4, corn was 7-8-2-4 higher. May 2-2-1 1/4-1-2, oats were 3-1/4 lower to 1-5-4 higher. May \$1.14-1-1 1/4, and soybeans were unchanged to a cent lower. May \$3.85.

Cash wheat was a little higher with the trade in futures today. Basis unchanged; receipts 40 cars. Corn was one to two cents lower; basis also one to two cents lower; bookings 10,000 bushels; shipping sales 33,000 bushels; receipts 139 cars. Oats were unchanged to two cents lower; basis 2-2 to three cents down; receipts 62 cars. Soybeans receipts were 21 cars.

NEW YORK COTTON  
New York, May 10 — (UP) — Cotton futures were steady in moderately active dealings today. Mill buying and short covering met only scale up offerings.

Spot cotton markets were quiet as demand from shippers slackened, pending clearer ideas on export demands for old crop cotton supply.

Cotton futures rallied sharply into new high ground for the day on a late rush of covering orders. Futures closed \$2.10 to \$3.15 a bale higher than the previous close.

May high 37.92 low 37.30 — last 37.92 up 63  
Jly high 37.20 low 36.63 — last 37.17-18 up 47-48  
Oct high 33.90 low 33.30 — last 33.98-99 up 54-55  
Dec high 33.20 low 32.72 — last 33.19 up 45  
May high 32.96 low 32.48 — last 32.96 up 42  
May high 32.57 low 32.15 — last 32.57 up 44  
Middling spot 37.77N up 64 N-middling.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON  
New Orleans, May 10 — (UP) — Cotton futures advanced here today on heavy short covering and trade buying. Some months made new seasonal highs.

Closing prices were very steady \$2.10 to \$2.95 a bale higher — close 37.80-82  
Jly high 37.17 low 36.60 — close 37.17 up 44  
Oct high 33.90 low 33.30 — close 33.98-99 up 54-55  
Dec high 33.20 low 32.72 — close 33.19 up 45  
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ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK  
National Stockyards, Ill., May 10 (UP) — Hogs, 11,500; barrows and gilts steady to 25 cents lower than Friday's average; hogs 25 to 50 higher; bulk good and choice 170-240 lbs 10.00-75; top 75; 240-270 lbs 18.00-20.00; 270-300 lbs 17.50; 300-350 lbs 16.25-17.00; 13-150 lbs 17.00-19.50; 100-120 lbs 14.00-16.50; hogs 45 lbs down 15-50; over 450 lbs 13.75-14.75; mostly 14.00 up; stags 10.50-12.50. Cattle, 2,700; calves, 1,400; dt-

## Bulletin

Washington, May 10 — (UP) — Leaders of three strike-threatening railroad unions left the White House at 4:45 p. m. (EDT) (2:45 p. m. CDT) today. They said they "might make a statement" within an hour.

## UN Working on 'Ghost Government'

Lake Success, N. Y., May 10 — (UP) — The United Nations worked today on details of a "ghost government" to assume legal authority over Palestine when Great Britain leaves next Saturday.

With only five working days to go and no possibility of agreement on a concrete settlement of the Palestine issue, the general assembly was considered almost certain to ratify a British-inspired plan for a five or six-man "neutral authority" which would sit in Palestine under U. N. auspices.

The 12-nation subcommittee established to put the plan on paper scheduled an all-day private meeting for today beginning at about 10:45 a. m. (EDT) in hopes of a detailed proposal to the 58-nation political and security committee of the assembly by Tuesday or Wednesday.

Finn Moe of Norway worked over the weekend on details of the British plan, which would make the United States, France and Belgium, the nucleus of the temporary and police-less authority.

Moe would not disclose details of his working paper, but it was believed to follow the British suggestions submitted to the subcommittee last Friday by Arthur Creech Jones, Britain's colonial secretary. Creech Jones proposed that the consults of the United States, Belgium and France in Jerusalem make up the nucleus of the "neutral authority." The chairman of the UN Palestine Commission and two other persons considered neutral on the issue would be added.

Armed only with moral authority to pick up the threads of legal rule in the hands of Jewish and Arab leaders, the commission would not be able to stop the Arab-Jewish warfare nor would it be able to enforce any of its orders or suggestions.

## Preacher Held in Death of Fire Chief

Baltimore, May 10 (UP) — An hysterical rooftop preacher who used his feet to thwart efforts to bring him to earth today accused today of causing the death of a Baltimore deputy fire chief.

Lorenz A. Dolle, 63, kicked from a fire ladder yesterday, died in a hospital early this morning.

A charge of kicking and causing the death of Dolle was filed by police against William Lane, 39, year old Negro. Dolle fell 25 feet from the ladder and suffered a fractured skull.

Patrolman Louis J. Mitchell said he found Lane dancing about the roof of a three-story house in robe and pajamas and "preaching to save the world."

Witnesses said the preaching was audible for three or four blocks. Members of the fire department and four more policemen were on hand before Lane could be coaxed onto the ladder.

Dolle, who met Lane two-thirds of the way up the ladder, had mounted to try to prevent the "preacher" from falling. The ladder was gradually lowered after Dolle was kicked to the street.

## Rail Tampered With on Road in Pennsylvania

Valley Forge, Pa., May 10 (UP) — The Reading Railroad and the Montgomery county district attorney said today they had found "indications of tampering with the rails" may have caused a train wreck last night in which two crewmen were killed.

The Reading company passenger train, en route from Allentown to

## Model Mom



Mrs. Thomas Moran, a 26-year-old Cleveland, O., beauty, is the mother of six children. But she's headed for a top career in modeling, because John Powers, New York model impresario, saw this picture and sent for her. She's taking the children, too.

Philadelphia, was wrecked near the George Washington Memorial chapel in historic Valley Forge park.

A sideplate joining two rails to together apparently had been removed. District Attorney E. Arnold Forrest said:

"It looks suspicious, as if someone had been tampering with the track," he added.

A Reading company statement, made after the official investigation, said the nuts and bolts which hold the plate together "were lying along the track indicating they had been removed intentionally."

The spikes had been pulled from both sides for an entire rail length and the plate upon which the rail rests had been removed from the end of the rail," the statement continued.

## Backers Try to Get Armory Bill Passed

Washington, May 10 (UP) — Sponsors of a \$267,930,350 armory construction bill tried anew today to get it through the house. Cost of officers' quarters snagged the first attempt.

The measure provides for improving camps in this country and bases abroad, including three secret air force installations in Canada and Newfoundland. The three would get \$8,500,000.

Rep. Cae (R-SD) told reporters he would demand that flat money limits be put on the amounts that could be spent for officers' quarters. He also said he wants additional safeguards for reviewing armory construction contracts.

These were other developments in the national defense picture on Capitol Hill.

The House Appropriations committee considered minor Senate changes in a \$3,233,200,000 emergency appropriation bill for the air force and the Navy's Bureau of Aeronautics. Chairman Taylor (R-NY) said the House, which originated the bill, might agree to the changes without asking for a conference with the Senate.

2. The Senate Armed Services Committee resumed work on its combined draft-universal military training bill. The measure would call emm from 19 through 25 for two years' service and would require a 3. The House Armed Services committee formally laid before the House its majority and minority reports on the draft bill sponsored by Chairman Andrews (R-NY) and approved 38 to 5 by the committee a week ago. Supporters called it necessary to maintain peace. Opponents said it is a "program for war."

4. Chairman Leo Allen (R-Ill.) of the House Rules Committee awaited congressional reaction to his bonus plans for attracting recruits into the armed forces. President Truman has called the plan astute. Allen's committee must give the word before the draft bill can come up for debate.

The walls of many residences and public buildings in Buenos Aires and other Argentine cities are covered with multi-colored glazed tiles.

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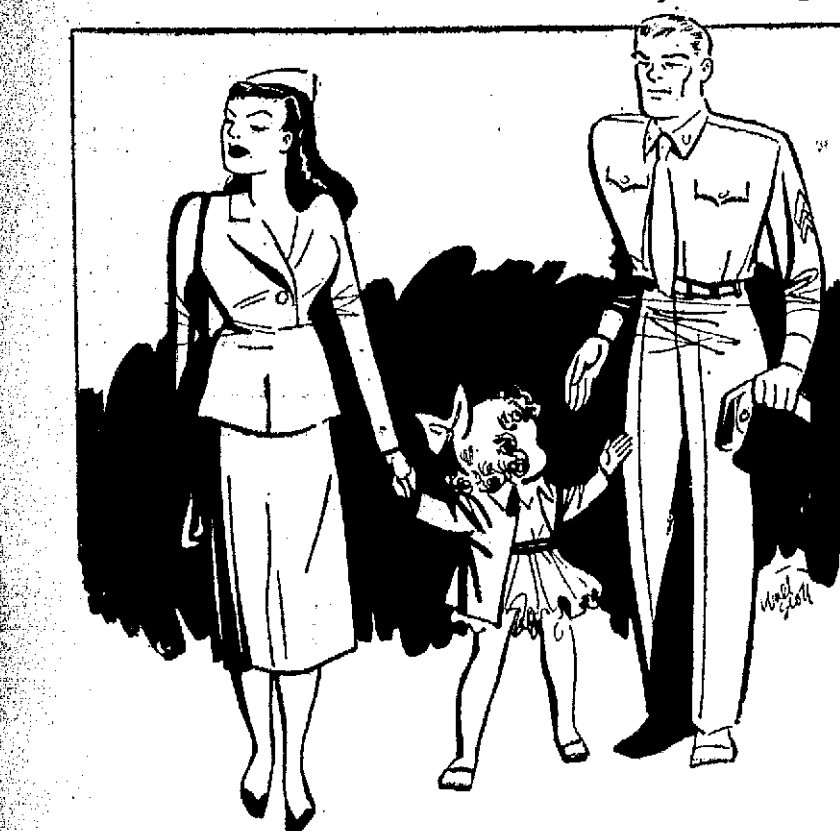
This will necessarily mean that I will leave the down-town store of Moore Bros., where I have enjoyed working for the past three years.

However, I have always had a desire to operate a business of my own and I sincerely believe that this Motorized Country Store is an opportunity. It is for that reason only that I am leaving the Moore Bros. store.

Your good will and patronage in the past has been to a large measure the reason why I am now able to go into business for myself.

**P. J. HOLT**

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# Social and Personal

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## Social Calendar

**Monday, May 10**  
The Y.W.A. and G.A.'s of the First Baptist church will have their annual Mother-Daughter banquet at the Educational Building at 6 p.m. Monday evening. All YWA and G.A. members and their mothers or a representative are urged to be present.

The Library Club will have their annual banquet at the Holy Barlow at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 17.

The Wesleyan Guild of the First Methodist church will meet Monday night at 7:45 at the home of Miss Charles Cannon. All members are urged to be present.

Cub Scout Pack No. 33 will hold its regular meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the Methodist church. All cubs and parents are urged to attend.

Cancer Executive Committee will have regular meeting at the City Hall Monday night at 7:30.

**Tuesday, May 11**  
The Iris Garden Club will meet Tuesday at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Paul Raley, then go to Grassy Lake for an all-day picnic.

Mrs. Ched Hall will entertain with a Linen Show at her home on North Louisiana Streets Tuesday, May 11 at 3:30 p.m. for the pleasure of Miss Martha White, bride-elect of Virgil Solomon, Jr.

The Hope Business and Professional Women's Club will meet Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at the Hotel Barlow. Members please note the change from Thursday, May 13 to Tuesday, May 11 which is made due to the State Convention in Ft. Smith.

**Tuesday, May 11**  
The Althean Class of the First Baptist church will meet at seven o'clock Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Miles Laha on South Main Street for their monthly business and social meeting. All members and associate members are urged to attend. For transportation, call 149-J.

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## Truman Accepts Resignation of Anderson

Washington, May 10—(AP)—President Truman formally accepted the resignation of Secretary of Agriculture Anderson today with an endorsement of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the Senate from New Mexico.

"In consenting to the resignation at this time," the president wrote, "I do so in the hope that the period immediately ahead is but the preliminary to your reentry to the halls of Congress—next time as a member of the Senate."

Anderson formerly was a member of the House of Representatives.

There still was no word from the White House on Anderson's successor as his cabinet tenure came to an end.

## Wardrobe Can Be Given a 'New Look'

If last season's dresses look worse than you remembered, try a bit of face lifting and skirt lowering. Home Demonstration Agent Lorraine Blackwood has a number of suggestions for giving last summer's wardrobe a "new look."

First, she suggests taking in mind the details of the new look. Then start planning and remodeling your clothes. Shoulders are rounder and less padded, so take out the shoulder pads and reduce their size and thickness.

Skirts are fuller and longer (12 to 13 inches from the floor) and feature a full fit, with ruffles and other soft dressmaker touches.

If dresses are too short, put wide ruffle at the bottom. Raise the skirt until it fits well, then make a wide hem that comes a little above the knees. Attach the ruffle at the point where the hem is fastened. If the dress is printed striped or plaid use a plain ruffle. If the dress is plain make the ruffle plaid. Add matching cuffs, collar or other trimming details. Gathered dirdle or gored skirts can have set-in bands of harmonizing colors to lengthen them or a gathered flounce or wide band can be added at the bottom.

For finishing details make a full petticoat of taffeta or cotton with a wide ruffle of plaid taffeta or embroidery around the bottom. Wear a "Gibson Girl" bow of plaid or solid color ribbon with your shirtwaist or tailored blouse. Just cross the ribbon high under the chin and fasten it in place with a piece of costume jewelry or use a ring.

If you are slender, by all means make a cummerbund, a wide girdle belt. It may be shirred or shaped smoothly over a stiff facing. It is a good trick for lengthening the blouse in a dress.

Peiping's Temple of Heaven, where former Chinese emperors prayed for prosperity during the first moon, has three circular roofs of sky-colored ceramic tile.

at five o'clock by Mrs. H. Grady Smith at Henderson College.

New Orleans—Rowland Max Murphy, 604 North Elm, Hope, Ark., has been selected for training in the Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps in the 1948 full term of college. Eighth Naval District headquarters here announced today.

From 24,117 candidates who completed the Navy's aptitude test for program, 1,786 were finally selected as principals and 560 as alternates.

Regular courses leading to baccalaureate or higher degrees are augmented by Naval Science subjects, two summer cruise and one summer period of aviation indoctrination, the Navy said.

**Hospital Notes**  
Branch  
Admitted:  
Baby Nevell Powell, Rt. 1, Patmore.  
Discharged:  
Cyron Flowers, Rt. 1, Hope.

**Julia Chester**  
Admitted:  
Mrs. Minnie Walden, Rt. 2, Hope.  
Roy Fry, Fulton.  
Eddie Fry, Fulton.  
Mrs. Roby E. Parsons, St. Louis, Mo.  
Frank N. Horton, Hope.  
Discharged:  
Mrs. J. J. Foster, Blevins.  
J. B. Knox, Hope.  
Mack Dillard, Gordon.  
Virginia Ruth Whitley, Hope.  
Mrs. Alfred Hickley, Emmett.  
Mrs. E. S. Franklin, Hope.

**Josephine**  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. Butler, Hooks, Texas, announce the arrival of a daughter on May 10, 1948.  
Admitted:  
Mrs. Thomas O. Butler, Hooks.  
Sally Hardree, Hope.  
Discharged:  
Jack Taylor, Hope.  
Mrs. F. K. Osburn, Hope.

**Clubs**  
Victory  
The Victory Home Demonstration Club met on May 5 at the home of Mrs. Jack Sumpters. Mrs. Eric Calhoun served as co-hostess.

There were two new members added to the roll, Mrs. Jack Byers, Jr. and Mrs. J. B. Neal.

Mrs. Robert Cash gave a report on poultry and Mrs. Haller McCorkle gave a report on gardening.

Mrs. Blackwood, Home Demonstration Agent, gave helpful information on home grounds. How to prune shrubs, roses and care of lawns during mowing time were the main factors brought out.

Plans were made for a community get-together and barn party Friday night, May 7. At the home of Mrs. William Schoelkopf celebrating national Home Demonstration Week. All families in the community are invited.

A next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Henry Bruce on June 2nd.

**Personal Mention**  
Miss Betty Ann Benson who is a sophomore student at Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia, will be presenting in piano recital Wednesday, May 13.

## Pink Pretties



NEW YORK—(NEA)—Fashion's "pretty pink" look for Spring finds a logical expression in lingerie which, as shown here by two Tevel designs, can be made to look more alluring when frosted with white. At the right, the pink-and-white print batiste nightgown with a mottled bodice and off-shoulder sleeve puffs is ruffled with fine white lace at neckline and hemline. Pink taffeta sugared with white net-embroidered dots makes the robe, left, which features a criss-crossed closing, shoulder-draped collar and hippy pockets.

—EPSIE KINARD, NEA Fashion Editor.

## Honored



**C. HAMILTON MOSES**  
The State Junior Chamber of Commerce Saturday night at Hot Springs bestowed its outstanding honor on C. Hamilton Moses, Little Rock, Arkansas Power & Light Co. president. The award as "man of the year" was voted to Mr. Moses for "distinguished and outstanding service to Arkansas."

—NEA Telephoto

## Lure



This should interest all fishermen. Pat Williams holds a retractable fish lure made by Louis Eckert of Burbank, Calif. The lures are not brought into play until a fish strikes the lure. Eckert took the idea from the retractable undercarriage used on airplanes.

## Real Isolation

Sydney, Australia—(AP)—An abandoned hut in western New South Wales carried this unusual notice on its door for some years: "Twenty miles from a neighbor, 40 miles from a post office, 50 miles from a railway, 50 miles from a pub, 10 miles from wood and water, 1000 miles from a city. Whoever finds this farm can have it. We hope they will settle down and help pioneer the west. We would do it ourselves only the missus wants to see life. She has left for the city. So have I."

Tamerlane, 14th Century Mongol conqueror of the Near East and India, introduced tile floor and wall coverings to Turkestan and parts of India which later became centers of artistic tile making.

## The Innocent Impostor

By Renee Shann  
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Patience got out of the car she'd hired to fetch her from the station, and stood hesitating outside the garden gate. Then she braced herself. She'd got to set it over. And what was more she was going to be absolutely truthful. Yes, even if it did lead to trouble.

She heard a door opening and looked up. There was Aunt Alice coming down the path to meet her. "Dear child, how glad I am to see you!"

"Patience dropped her suitcase, and ran to her aunt's arms. "Darling, I hope you weren't worried?"

"Well, we've naturally been anxious."

"In most desperately sorry. "Where's Aunt Helen?"

"Indoors."

"Is she—she is awfully angry?"

"Well, dearie, I'm afraid she is rather put out."

Patience, her knees shaking, retrieved her suitcase and went into the house. Miss Helen, hearing voices, had come to see what was happening. She stood there in the doorway of the sitting room looking far more forbidding than she was really feeling. For just to see the child safe and sound was even more of a relief than she'd have thought possible. All the same she was determined not to be weak with her. Helen.

"Hello, Aunt Helen," faltered Patience. "I'm home."

"So I see. I'd like to speak to you, Patience. No, Alice, I'd prefer to speak to Patience alone."

Patience followed her aunt into the sitting room and closed the door. Miss Helen sat down in her customary chair.

"Now perhaps you'll tell me just what you mean by your conduct."

**Home Clubs to Meet at University**

The campus of the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville has been selected for the 20th annual meeting of the State Council of Home Demonstration Clubs. Home Demonstration Agent Lorraine Blackwood received this information from Mrs. Cecil Morgan of White county, president of the council, after a meeting of the executive committee in Little Rock last week.

The meeting will again be open to all the 39,421 home demonstration club members in the state. It is scheduled for September 3-10. The theme for the program will be "The Rural Woman—A World Citizen."

Mrs. Clyde Taylor, Texarkana, national vice-president for home demonstration clubs, will serve as program chairman for the meeting.

A special drive by Arkansas home demonstration club members to raise the remaining \$4,800 of a \$50,000 fund to build a cooperative house for 4-H club girls attending the University of Arkansas is now underway. According to Mrs. H. C. Harville, treasurer, efforts will be made to complete the quota by the September meeting. The club women will make definite plans for financing construction of the house at the fall meeting. The rise in building costs has made necessary an amount of money twice that originally planned.

Representatives of the Arkansas HD Council will attend the national home demonstration council meeting to be held in Tulsa in October. Attending the executive committee meeting were: Mrs. Morgan; Mrs. A. O. Illing, Little Rock, vice-president; Mrs. J. Howard Crawford, Arkadelphia, vice-president; Mrs. Taylor, past president; and Mrs. Harville, Mabelvale.

Egyptian ships of about 1,250 B.C. were strengthened on the outside by a set of ropes called "girdles" which helped keep the vessels water-tight and added strength to withstand the pounding of the sea.

## DOROTHY DIX Good Wife Is Good Cook

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: My husband is always quarreling about my cooking and sometimes he gets so mad he just won't eat at all. Don't you think that when a woman does her best to please her husband that he should eat what she cooks?

**UNHAPPY WIFE**  
ANSWER: Now there is no excuse for a woman being a poor cook, for there are innumerable cookbooks that tell just exactly how to prepare every sort of food, just how long it should be cooked, just how hot the oven should be, and if she will follow these rules she cannot fail.

Personally, I don't blame any man for kicking the roof off of the house when his wife sits him down to a bad meal and offers him food that tastes like lukewarm dishwater, and food that would kill an ostrich. He has paid for good food, and he has a right to expect her not to ruin it in the cooking.

Moreover, more than the pleasure of his palate is involved. His life and his health and that of his children depend upon the way they are fed. A large proportion of the sickness and inefficiency of people is due to their being undernourished, and half of the undernourished.

## The Doctor Says:

BY EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.  
Written For NEA Service

Even today leprosy exists in many parts of the world. Sweden, Norway, and Iceland, parts of Russia and certain provinces in Spain and Portugal harbor good many victims. There are a few cases in Great Britain, Canada and the United States. Leprosy is present in the islands of the West Indies and occurs in Mexico and Brazil.

In China leprosy is extensive, and in Africa it has increased rapidly in recent years. In 1937 it was estimated that there were between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000 victims of leprosy throughout the world.

Unfortunately, the disease cannot be easily acquired. It is spread slowly from person to person by close contact only. The control lies in early diagnosis and isolation as soon as possible. Isolation should be made as humane as possible. The cruel attitude of medieval days should cease.

**Disease Is Rare Here**  
There are not many people in the United States who have this disease now. Leprosy was formerly a much worse scourge than it is today. Historical novels of the middle ages frequently mentioned the pathetic victims of leprosy who were outcasts from society, dreaded and hunted by all. Many of them suffered and died over the face of the earth and were prohibited on a penalty of death or torture to speak to other human beings.

Progress has been made in treatment. Several new and complete cures, some of them related to the sulfa drugs, have been used with encouraging results. Indeed the pictures of patients with leprosy who have been treated with such drugs clearly show that many of the terrible outward signs of the disease can be greatly improved.

New hope has therefore entered the somber outlook for the victims of leprosy. Sure and complete cures will almost certainly come and when it does, the recovered victims of this disease should be taken back into society without fear of the dread effects which have been given too much prominence by the hysterical attitude of our ancestors of the middle ages.

**QUESTION:** What could cause continued muscular pain and stiffness in the neck?

**ANSWER:** This question is difficult to answer. An extra rib is a possibility but an unlikely one. An old injury could be considered. There are also several other possibilities.

**Hams Ripen Slowly in Cold Storage**

If cured hams are stored in the locker plant they will not develop the flavor so characteristic of aged country hams. Cured pork ripens very slowly, if at all, in cold storage. Home Demonstration Agent Lorraine Blackwood points out.

In order to better utilize the facilities of locker plants, cured hams and shoulders should be stored at home. This leaves plant space available for preservation of fresh foods.

If pork has been cured in locker plants, it is wise to know the type of cure that has been used. Mild "commercial cured" and heavily "salted" meats will not store satisfactorily and complete cures will store satisfactorily.

Your locker plant will cure your meat so that it will store satisfactorily at home, she advises.

Hams and shoulders stored at home must be properly wrapped to keep off skippers and mites. Wrap each piece separately in grease-resistant paper and place in a thick tightly woven cloth bag. Hang the wrapped meat in a dark, dry, well-ventilated room.

Storing cured meat at home not only will improve the quality but will also save the expense of refrigerated storage, she concludes.

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ment is the direct result of bad cooking. If a man is not well fed, he becomes cross and pessimistic and despicable and nobody wants to deal with him, and so his earnings power is decreased. Many men's failure is directly traceable to his wife's bad cooking.

**Learn To Cook**  
So my advice to you is that instead of feeling that your husband is a brute to growl over your cooking, suppose you go to work in earnest to learn how to be a better cook? I think this will improve your husband's disposition.

**DEAR DOROTHY DIX:** Don't you think that if a man is in love with a girl whom he is not financially able to marry, but whom he really wants, he would make every effort to make enough money to marry her?

**JANE T.**  
ANSWER: There is no better proof of love than a man giving up his willingness to work for a girl. Many young men, as long as they have no one but themselves to take care of, are inclined to loaf on their jobs and take things easy.

But the minute a worthwhile man falls in love for keeps and begins to think of matrimony, he rolls up his sleeves and goes to work in earnest because he wants to give his girl all the comforts and luxuries he can. That is why employers prefer married men. It pulls pep and energy and determination into a man to have a woman to work for.

You may be very sure of this: The man whom love does not speed up isn't really in love, or else he is so selfish and lazy he isn't worth having.

**DEAR MISS DIX:** I am a young man 21 years old and I want to go out in the world and earn my own living, but as I am untrained I do not know what to do. My father runs a little printing shop and he is determined that I shall carry on with him. I have a strong desire to work. This causes endless quarrels between us. What should I do? I want to be a success in life.

**TOM S.**  
ANSWER: Try to find out what Nature has made you to do. Even if you have no very decided talent, you must have some aptitude for doing some particular thing, and there must be some one special thing that you enjoy doing. Then go to a trade school and learn how to do it well. Get to be an expert. They are the only ones who can command a good salary. There is no place for an untrained worker.

I think your father is wrong in trying to make you do the kind of work you have come to hate. You have been able to put your heart in a job and make a success of it. Very often the wise thing is for a boy to leave home and strike out for himself, because it is harder for parents to realize that their children grow up and have minds of their own, instead of staying perpetual babies who must let Mama and Papa decide what they must be and do.

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## Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce that the following are candidates for public office subject to the filing of the Declaration of Intent at the Democratic primary elections July 27 and August 10:

**Representative (Post No. 1)**  
GLEN WALKER  
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**Representative (Post No. 2)**  
ED LESTER

**County Judge**  
C. COOK  
FRED A. LUCK

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JOHN L. WILSON, JR.  
(MISS) OMERA EVANS

**For Tax Assessor**  
CHARLES MALONE  
GARRETT WILLIS  
J. W. STRICKLAND  
JOHN GORDON PRESCOTT  
CECIL E. WEAVER

**Fair Enough**

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Henry Wallace's infatuation with Nicholas Roerich, his Russian agent, who is the author of the fact that this is the bubblehead who was made vice president of the United States by Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1940, long after the events disclosed, Roosevelt's guilt in naming as his successor in the event of his own death a man capable of Henry's stealthy conduct and his incredible follies is a point that I insist upon. Some of Roosevelt's idolaters, and a few editors, too, who insist that there are not New Dealers, have said that all this is water over the dam and that to drag Roosevelt's name into the recount is to indulge in mere hatred. All history is water over the dam, however, and they act as if the placing of the blame for Wallace was inspired only by hatred of Roosevelt, which is not the case. The point is that Roosevelt personally did this to the United States. He did it by his selection of Roerich, and by his selection of the selection itself or the Hitlerian or Stalinian manner of it.

Frances Perkins and James Byrnes, in their memoirs, reveal that each thought that Roosevelt had decided to name him, and to nobody else, the historic honor of transmitting Roosevelt's choice to the convention. This inveterate double-crosser could not resist the impulse to deceive even his most obsequious henchmen. At least, such individuals have now naively boasted of having played this sordid piece of business in our great political tragedy. All agree that "democracy" was mocked.

The convention had no voice in the nomination of Wallace. Roosevelt "picked" him. The convention roared like a lynching mob but finally obeyed. Will anyone deny that?

It will be futile to argue that Roosevelt did not know all about Wallace's involvement in Roerich's activities. By 1940, this man's affairs had been in litigation in the New York State Supreme Court, before Roosevelt's own ghostwriter and political assistant, Sam Rosenman, and in the court of appeals of the District of Columbia. In both cases, justice was tempered with politics so Wallace's name was suppressed. There were, however, some embarrassing references to Galahad, the name by which he was known to Roerich. It would be juvenile to believe that Rosenman never thought to tell Roosevelt about the joke on Henry, or that the F.B.I. never made a folder on Roerich and Wallace. The State Department had plenty on Roerich. The State Department would have been sure to squeal to Roosevelt because Cordell Hull was spitting mad at the whole idiotic business and Wallace had no use for the United States, anyway. So we have to conclude that Roosevelt knew the whole story when he nevertheless told Frances Perkins "Yes, I guess Cordell is a little bit of a nut, but he's got a lot of brains." This election year the chairman of the Democratic National Committee invokes the spook as a guide for President Truman.

This narrative and commentary thus far has placed Roerich and his little court in the hands of the man on cordial terms with the government of the puppet Pu Yi which our country did not recognize. Prof. Howard G. MacMillan and James L. Stevens, professional botanists of the Department of Agriculture, have tagged along, refusing to have any truck with Pu Yi's legation in Tokyo.

The Japanese were suspicious and started a press campaign against Roerich.

Arrived in Harbin, MacMillan and Stevens couldn't get an audience with their boss' guru. The guru's son, George, also on the Department of Agriculture's payroll for \$4,600 and expenses, transmitted the master's instructions to them.

Prof. MacMillan wrote a letter to Dr. Knowles A. Ryerson, his superior with the title of chief of the Bureau of Plant Industry, reporting Roerich's peculiar activities.

Unable to work with Roerich or even to see his sacred personality, MacMillan and Stevens got on independently for Harbin, Manchukuo or Manchukuo, to do the work they were sent for. They found themselves on the same train with Roerich and his party, but a Russian guard at his door kept them out of the divine presence.

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## Louis Picks Sparring Mate for Training

Bear Lake, Mich., May 10—(UP)—Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis announced from his training camp here that he has found a "fast runner" to be his first sparring partner when he moves to Pompton Lakes, N. J., May 20.

Louis, training for a return bout with Jersey Joe Walcott at Yankee Stadium in June, said the partner was Richard Hagan, a Chicago Golden Gloves champion of 1947. He described Hagan as a 20-year-old, 200 pounder who can "run as fast as Walcott."

**Scott Equals World Record in 100 Yards**

Fayetteville, May 10—(UP)—The University of Arkansas Razorbacks are getting ready for the Southwestern Conference track and field meet at Houston Saturday with a promise of previously unexpected points.

The points could come in the 100-yard dash if Coach Hobart Hoover decides to let Clyde Scott enter that event, too.

Scott, who makes a practice of winning high and low hurdle races, tried his hand at the century in a dual meet with Oklahoma A. M., here Saturday. He equaled the world record of 16.2 seconds, admitted, he was aided by a wind to his back, but still he was flying.

The Smackover speedster will defend his conference crown in both hurdle events and is a strong bet to place in the javelin throw.

Charles Baker joined Scott in giving Arkansas something to cheer about as the Oklahomaans won the meet, 84 to 47. While Scott won the 100, the 220 and 200-yard hurdles and was second in the 400, Baker was finishing first in the shot put and the discus throw.

Scott's time in the low hurdles, 22.6 seconds, was only a tenth of a second off the world record and bettered his own U. of A. mark of 23.

**Baseball Standings**

**Southern Association**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Birmingham	16	7	.696
Nashville	15	7	.682
Mobile	12	10	.545
Memphis	12	10	.545
Atlanta	12	14	.462
Little Rock	8	14	.364
Chattanooga	7	17	.292
New Orleans	8	14	.364

**American League**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	10	4	.714
Philadelphia	12	5	.706
New York	10	6	.625
Washington	8	9	.471
St. Louis	7	10	.412
Boston	6	10	.423
Detroit	8	12	.400
Chicago	3	11	.214

**National League**

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	10	5	.667
New York	11	7	.611
Pittsburgh	10	7	.588
Brooklyn	9	9	.500
Philadelphia	9	10	.474
Boston	8	10	.444
Cincinnati	7	13	.350

**Cotton States League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Greenwood	15	5	.750
Hot Springs	12	7	.632
Helena	13	8	.615
Natchez	10	11	.476
Greenville	10	11	.476
El Dorado	9	11	.450
Pine Bluff	6	13	.316
Clarksdale	4	16	.200

**Greenwood and Bathans Keep Standings**

By The Associated Press

The Cotton States League standings today were the same today with Greenwood still on top after a series of fast Sunday doubleheaders.

Greenwood and Hot Springs kept their one-two positions as the

and his chief deputy at the joss-house complained to Wallace that MacMillan and Stevens were insubordinate. Wallace recalled MacMillan and Stevens in humiliation and demoted Doctor Ryerson for treason to his guru. The American expedition to collect grass seed, which dabbled as well in Oriental politics and drugs, including aphrodisiacs, now was left in charge of an herb doctor and without an American in the entire east.

The Harbin Times, a Japanese government paper, accused Roerich of planning a masonic state in Siberia and of scheming to establish a government there under American auspices. There was testimony in the New York proceedings later that Roerich had an ambition to become the ruler of Siberia and that Siberia was called "the land of the cultists."

The propagandists of the Japanese got so hot that Roerich hauled out for China on Nov. 26, 1934.

Back in New York, Louis Horch, the angel, or sucker, of the cult, advised Roerich to turn to the Manchukuo press through diplomatic channels. Roerich and Horch knew our State Department had no use for Roerich but Henry Wallace was silly enough for all that to let the cult's chief political fixer go bubblehead.

Wallace admitted afterward that he didn't have the sense to know he had no right to butt into State Department business by asking the Japanese ambassador to silence the press. However, the ambassador inquired "Are you asking me to do this as Secretary Wallace or as Dr. Wallace? There are many things I could not do for Secretary Wallace."

Mortimer Snerd said: "Yop, yop, yop," he was asking a personal favor. Since enough, there came a personal letter from the ambassador, not to Mortimer's office but to his home, saying the ambassador had fixed it so that there would be no more attacks on the guru in the newspapers of Manchukuo.

And so help me, the poor clown sent the ambassador's letter up to New York to be confided to the archives of the lamassery on the drive.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh G. Fullerton, Jr.

New York, May 10—(AP) The Metropolitan Collegiate Baseball Conference deserves congratulations for disqualifying seven players on three teams as being slightly tainted by professionalism. That's a tough decision to make when they're trying to build up college baseball. Likewise it might be argued that a kid who tried out unsuccessfully with a Class "D" team hardly is a pro. But that's the way the rule reads and the Mets are sticklers to it. In the past there has been so much winking at similar violations in college baseball and basketball that some coaches seemed to be going round with one eye permanently closed.

**Not Hal's Pals**

Leslie O'Connor, Chicago White Sox vice president, rates Cleveland's Bob Feller as the No. 1 gate attraction in the American League.

Ted Williams and Joe DiMaggio are tied for second, in O'Connor's estimation, and Hal Newhouse is next—but far behind the top boys.

Concerning Newhouse's lack of appeal, O'Connor says: "He's a Chicago puzzle. We won't draw an extra nickel when Detroit comes here with Newhouse pitching. A good pitcher, but not the type fans flock to see."

**Monday Matinee**

Joe Vella, manager of Gus Lesnevich, sadly contends that Jersey Joe Walcott will take the heavy lifting from Joe Louis when the meet again. "You can't get in shape without hard fights and Louis couldn't get any hard fights," says Vella. "Maybe Gus could have licked him if he'd been in there instead of Walcott."

**Twin Entries Scare Off Derby Hopefuls**

Baltimore, May 10—(UP) Calumet's one-two punch began scaring off the Prentiss hopefuls today, but there were still eight challengers in the probable field after My Request bowed out.

Shortly after Calumet announced that Coaltown would join Citation in the second lap of the duel for the Kentucky Derby, Calumet's F. Whitaker pulled My Request out of the race.

"We'll give him a snort rest," Whitaker said, "and then point him for the Withers mile at Belmont, May 29."

That came as somewhat of a surprise, since My Request had run third to the Calumet comes in the Kentucky Derby and was regarded as the only real opposition for the entry in the big race.

Previously, Piet, winner of the Ralston stakes, was withdrawn from the Prentiss by Trainer Emmett Potts.

That left today 10 horses among the probable entries—Citation, Coal town, Escudero, Salmagundi, Better Grass, Graceland, Mervin, Vulcan's Forge, Bovard and Wing Messenger. It was almost certain that not all of them will start.

However, the chances were still pretty good that the field will be single to the six or seven, with the smallest Kentucky Derby post list since 1907.

The entry of Coaltown in the Prentiss came as a direct change of mind. Trainer Ben Jones left Citation in the slot which was marked the smallest Kentucky Derby post list since 1907.

But Friday Jones had a change of heart, and tomorrow Coaltown will be the one to start in the celebrated stateroom in the barn along the backstretch of Pimlico.

**Travelers Split Twin Bill With Chattanooga**

By The Associated Press

The Birmingham barons won their fourth and fifth consecutive games yesterday when they whipped New Orleans 3 to 2 in 10 innings and 5 to 2 in the top of the ninth in the Southern Association.

Nashville clung to second place by taking a twin bill from Memphis, 14-12 and 7-2. Atlanta and Mobile divided a pair. The Crackers took the opener, 9-2, and the Bears the nightcap, 8-5. Little Rock and Chattanooga also divided a doubleheader. The Lookouts taking the opener, 6-3, and the Travelers coping the finale, 17-8.

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## Barron Captures Goodall Tourney and \$2,000

New Rochelle, May 10—(AP)—Herman Barron, White Plains, N. Y., was \$2,000 to the good today after having administered a sound, honest beating to 15 other pros in the Goodall Hound Robin tournament.

After four days and 90 holes of match play Barron proved himself a doughty competitor by finishing with a plus total of 38 strokes better than one of his closest rivals, Bobby Locke of South Africa.

Not only did he win on a match play basis, but his medal score of 10-69-71-71-355 was two shots better than that of his nearest rival, Locke.

Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., and Bob Hamilton of Landover, Md., finished in a tie for third place, each with plus 10.

Lloyd Mangrum, the first day's leader, finished plus 9. Jim Fergus of Chicago, plus 8, and Henry Cotton of Britain, plus 5. Henry Kiser was even. All the other nine finished in the minus division.

**Yerger Track Team Second in Arkansas**

The Yerger High School Tiger track team finished second to Hot Springs in the Arkansas State Track Meet that was held at Little Rock on Friday of last week. Hot Springs amassed a total of 41 points; Yerger gathered 26 points, while finishing off Dunbar of Little Rock, the host team, which scored 24 points.

Ralph Palmer was a standout for Yerger. Palmer was high point man for the event scoring 13 points. Other outstanding participants for Yerger were Edward Stuart, A. M. Cannon, Richard Davis, Amos Block, Jimmie Cannon, Eugene Buchanan, Thomas Jordan, Titus Washington and S. E. Wright, Tiger Captain.

The annual Caddo Council Spring campfire was held at Camp Prentiss Hunt Friday evening and Saturday. Approximately 400 Boy Scouts and leaders participated in the program. All nine districts of the council were represented. Hempstead district was headed by H. H. Stowell, Council Executive, 82 of Guernsey, 83 of Spring Hill and 65 of Fulton. All these troops did an outstanding job.

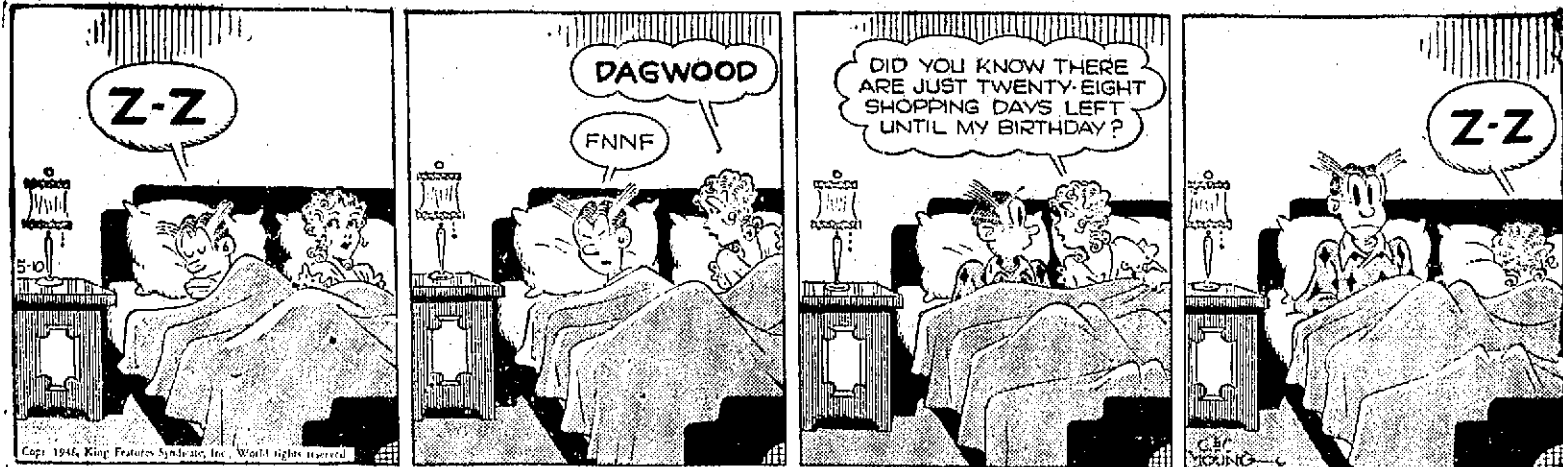
Each won a troop award which will be presented to the troop at the Hot Springs district campfire sports meet in August. Troop 82 of Guernsey, led by Scoutmaster Elmer Anderson and Jay Whitney won special recognition for having 100 per cent of its membership present.

**Camp Pioneer, Summer Council**

Camp of the Caddo Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, will open the 1948 season on June 1. It was announced by H. H. Stowell, Council Executive, and J. Arvil Hickman, Camp Pioneer, that the summer camp will be held at Camp Pioneer, which is located on Highway 71, near the intersection of Highway 71 and Highway 65. The camp will be open for 10 days, from June 1 to June 10. The camp will be open for 10 days, from June 1 to June 10. The camp will be open for 10 days, from June 1 to June 10.

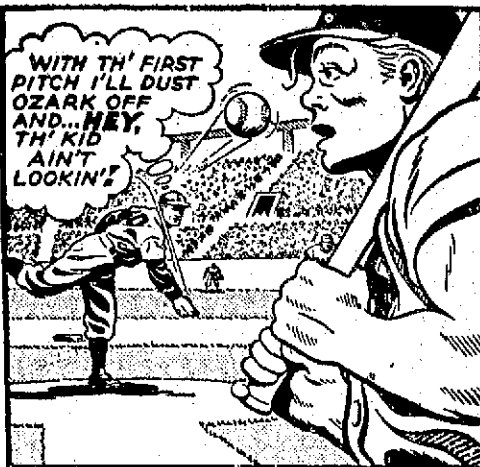


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By Chick Young

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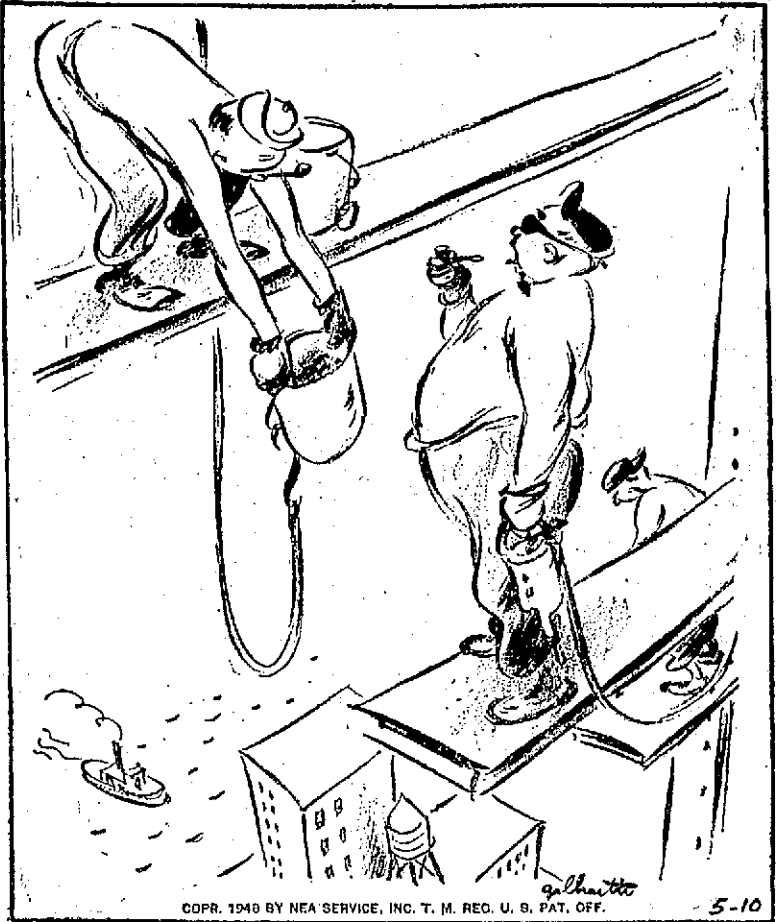


SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Sometimes I feel like we're wasting our life work, Joe, when I think of what an atom bomb would do to a building like this!"

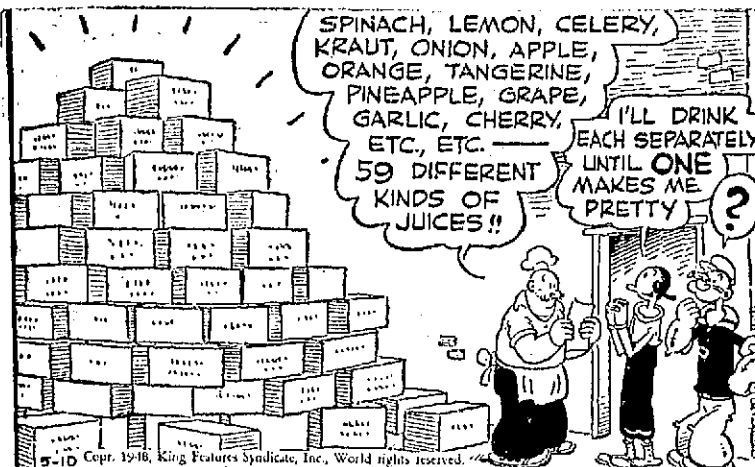
FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



"It's a political demonstration, but they're shy on funds for a band!"

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Thimble Theater



OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



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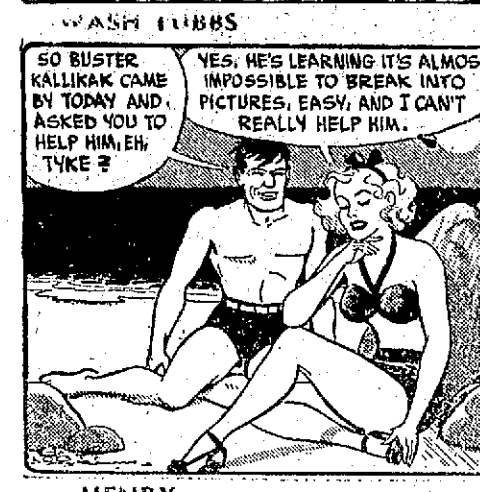
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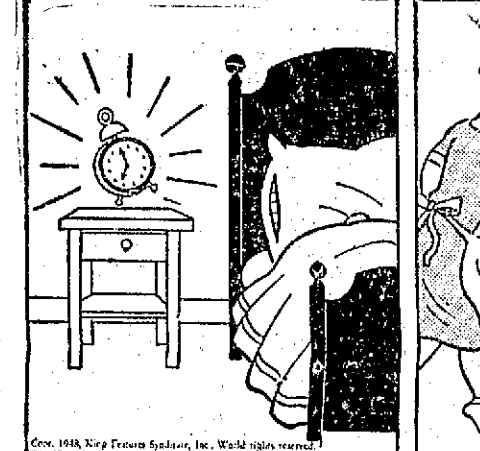


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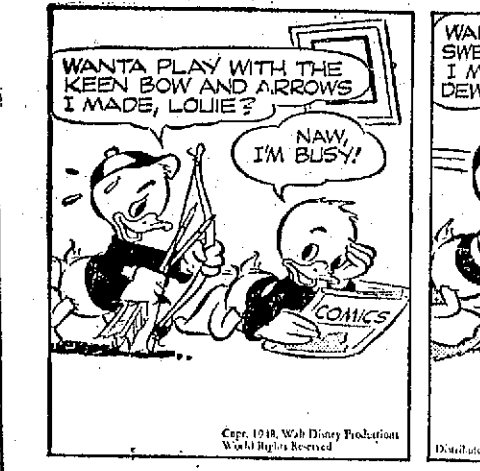
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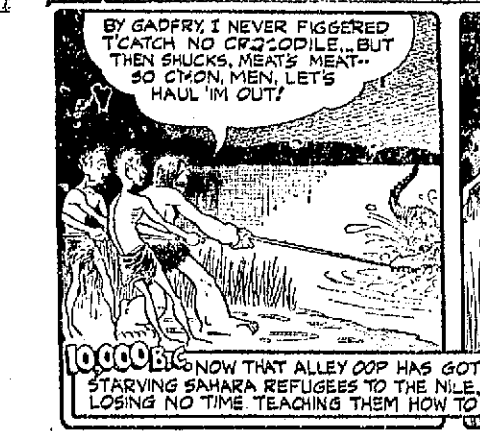
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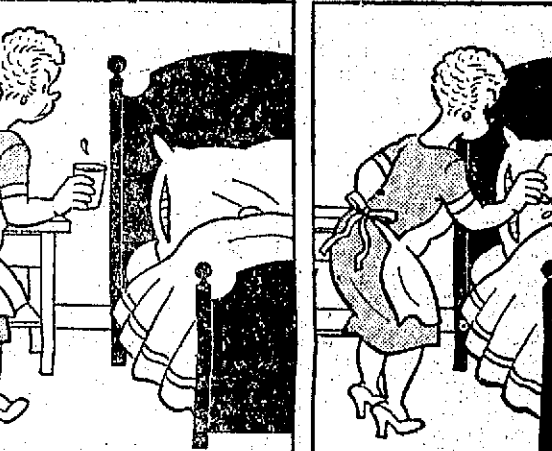
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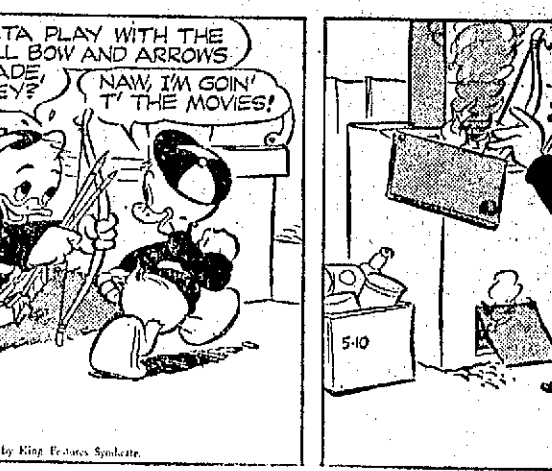
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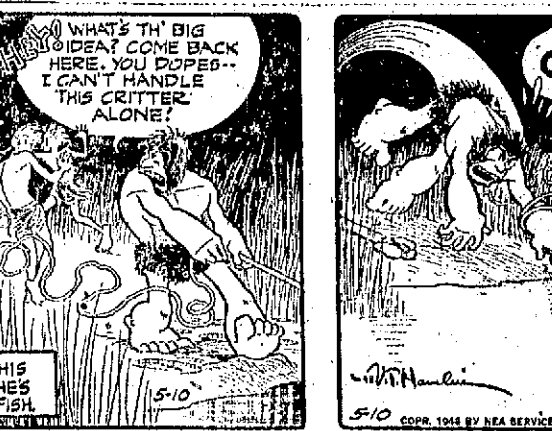
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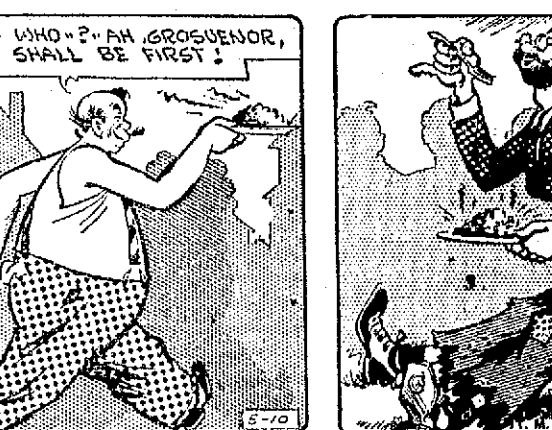
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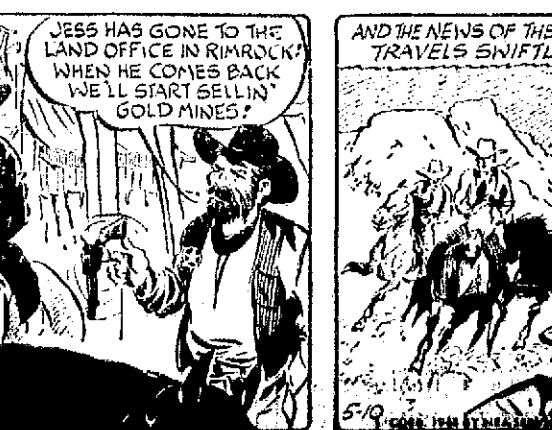
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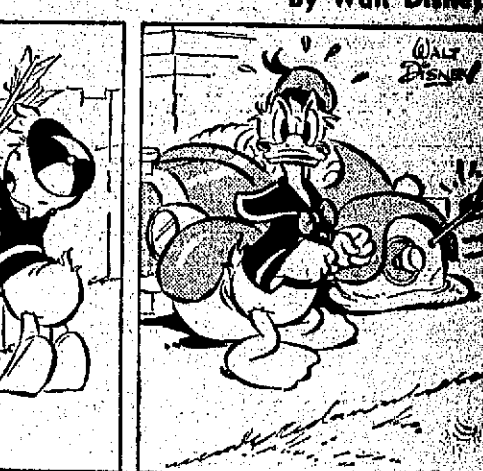
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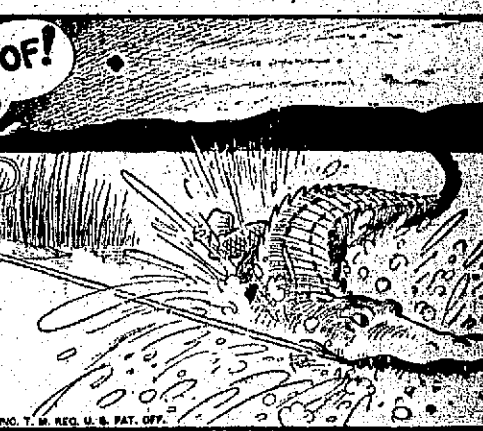
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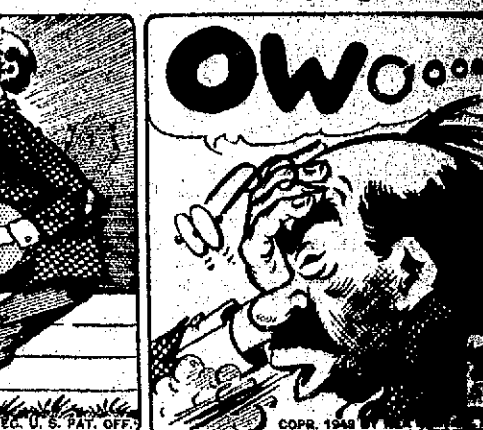
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## Here and There in Arkansas

Hot Springs, May 10 —(AP)—The Arkansas Junior Chamber of Commerce has concluded its annual convention here after electing Gregory Dozier of Texarkana the organization president and awarding C. Hamilton Moses, Little Rock public utilities executive, a trophy as "Arkansas Man of the Year."

Washington, May 10 —(AP)—Senator McClellan of Arkansas has announced he will not campaign for President Truman this year. He said he had rejected what he called an invitation from J. Howard McGrath, Democratic national chairman, to join in the national party campaign.

McClellan declared: "It would be inconsistent for me to attempt to defend the record of the present administration when I have just been elected to the office of the most important aspects of the domestic program—that of so-called civil rights legislation. Until the leadership of the party repudiates that part of its program, I can not give support in the nature of public addresses in behalf of the Truman candidacy."

Fayetteville, May 10 —(AP)—The Arkansas Academy of Science has selected Charles Robinette of Arkansas State Teachers College, Conway, its new president. The academy will meet next year at the University of Arkansas School of Medicine, Little Rock.

Little Rock, May 10 —(AP)—An explosion tore loose a section of the big inch pipeline near Woodson, about here, yesterday, but no one was injured.

Mrs. W. E. Wilson said she heard a blast at her home a mile away. She said the explosion caused a large crater and hurled bits of earth over approximately an acre. There was no fire.

Memphis, Tenn., May 10 —(AP)—Memphis annual festival of fun—the Cotton Carnival—began building up steam today for the real fireworks to come later.

Visiting royalty from celebrations in other cities are arriving to take part in the first of the big parades tomorrow night. The carnival king and queen officially appear in the royal barge.

Meanwhile, Beale street—the famous Negro thoroughfare—opens its cotton makers jubilee midway. Males of Cotton Mafella Nail starts the midway show and takes part in a televised cotton style show. There are also dances tonight, art exhibits, historic tours and other events.

Pine Bluff, May 10 —(AP)—Negroes here have filed complaints that five members of their race have been subjected to brutal treatment by members of the Pine Bluff Police Department recently.

The allegations were filed with Mayor George Steele by Harold Flowers, president of the Jefferson county chapter of the Jefferson Association for the Advancement of Colored People. A police official named in one of the alleged incidents denied any knowledge of it. Officers in the other case were unidentified.

Little Rock, May 10 —(UP)—An outbreak of sore throat among employees of University Hospital here was charged today to polluted drinking water. Dr. William P. Scarlett of the Little Rock health department said there were at least 100 cases in the plumbing that would permit the drinking water to become polluted. None of the patients suffered the ailment.

Camden, May 10 —(UP)—Highway officials closed the Camden-Stephens highway to all traffic today as black-topping on Highway 79 was started. A detour through Fairview has been marked, according to District Engineer Dan Westall.

The job will complete the last link in the road from Camden to the Louisiana line.

Little Rock, May 10 —(AP)—President Truman and his civil rights proposals are supported by the Arkansas Negro Democratic Association, which claims a membership of 25,000.

This was disclosed by the association's president, Dr. J. M. Robinson, Little Rock, who said the association will meet here May 21 to consider its objectives. Robinson said the Arkansas Negro Democrats are 100 per cent for the anti-lynching law but don't care about the anti-poll tax law. He said they felt individuals would vote if they wanted to, regardless of the law.

The Negro leader also voiced opposition to suggested civil disobedience by Negroes in regard to the position of Negroes in the armed forces.

Little Rock, May 10 —(AP)—Insurance premiums totaling \$72,532.370 were paid last year by Arkansas and non-resident owners of Arkansas property.

This was reported by State In-

## Innocent Victim



Betsy never knew her Daddy because he was away fighting a war when she was born. And when he was ready to come home, Betsy's mother had fallen in love with someone else.

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NOBODY LOVES FOREVER

By Marguerite Brucker

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## 'Give Us This Day . . .'



Joy transfigures the face of the hungry Chinese woman at right as she strains forward to receive the bread handed out by a Salvation Army worker in Shanghai. To the city's hungry thousands the Salvation Army distributes daily fifteen hundred 12-ounce loaves of "men tou" or Chinese steamed bread. Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Warren Lee.

## Court Docket

Municipal Court of Hope, Arkansas, May 10, 1948.

### City Docket

Parker Walker, operating a car without brakes, forfeited \$5 cash bond.

Howard King, double parking, forfeited \$1 cash bond.

Fred Mouser, leaving the scene of an accident, dismissed on motion City Attorney.

Chester Gordon, running a stop sign, forfeited \$2 cash bond.

Parker Walker, drunk while driving, forfeited \$25 cash bond.

McKinley Ray, Joe Johnson, possession of intoxicating liquor for purpose of sale, forfeited \$50 cash bond each.

Augusta Bostie, Geraldine Modisett, Marie Lee Harris, Richard Trotter, disturbing peace, forfeited \$10 cash bond.

The following forfeited a \$10 cash bond on a charge of drunkenness: Clara Howard, Richard Trotter, Robert Watson, Charles Britant, Roy Tomlin, Augusta Bostie, Lee Williams, Robert Jefferson, A. T. Thompson, Eddie Royal, Robert Hamilton.

The following forfeited a \$1 cash bond on a charge of overtime parking:

Floyd Porterfield, John Bagley, W. L. Fairchild, Miss Berl Henry, Earl Martin, R. L. Roberts, John Cook, D. A. Hobbs, A. H. Washburn, D. L. Hobbs, Mrs. W. T. Smith.

Hoyt Ellis, possession of more than one gallon of intoxic. liquor, forfeited \$50 cash bond.

Levey Johnson, Byron Heffner, J. B. Beckworth, evasion of Sales Tax, forfeited \$20 cash bond each.

W. D. Rogers, W. Beckford, P. C. Bush, H. P. Looper, S. A. Luffier, Cecil Bierschwal, overload, forfeited \$25 cash bond in each case.

John Batts, drunkenness, plea guilty, fined \$10.

Hugh Hodges, drunkenness, plea guilty, fined \$10.

James McEneaney, petit larceny, plea guilty, fined \$25 and one day in jail.

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Memphis Bridge

May Be Finished

Ahead of Schedule

Memphis, Tenn., May 8 —(AP)—The new four-lane bridge over the Mississippi river here may be completed before the expected date.

C. W. Hanson, member of the bridge designing firm, told a meeting of mid-South civil engineers yesterday that unless there are material shortages or labor troubles, the first cut will cross the span before October, 1949.

It is estimated that rats destroy about four per cent of the U. S. grain and cereal crop.

The average American in 1947 used human food at the rate of 3,500 calories daily.

Insurance Commissioner Jack G. McKenzie, who said insurance companies paid claims amounting to \$27,535,747 on Arkansas insurance.

The report covered insurance of all types.

Jonesboro, May 8 —(AP)— E. C. (Turkey) Stroud was acquitted in Craighead circuit court here yesterday of charges of operating a gambling house.

He was the fourth person to be brought to trial on such charges since a recent grand jury investigation of gambling and liquor traffic. The other three were convicted.

Stroud testified at his trial that he had sold whiskey in dry Craighead county.

## Two Candidates Favor Dogs — Truman, Dewey

Washington, May 7 —(AP)—The 1948 presidential election campaign can be considered officially open now. Two candidates have come out in favor of dogs.

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York was first. He rose to the occasion when a terrier came sniffling up to his speaker's platform at Alliance, Neb., a few weeks back.

"Hi-ya, boy," said the governor. "Would you like to come up and join us?"

The dog didn't, as it turned out, but Dewey was not miffed. He told the audience he used to have a terrier just like that when he was a boy.

"The governor is a great dog lover," one of his aides confided to the press.

Next to get into the act: President Truman.

He went Dewey one better. He came out in favor of kids, too. Children and dogs, Mr. Truman told the National Conference on Family Life yesterday, are "just as important as Wall Street and the railroads."

Candidates Taft, Stassen and others haven't formally endorsed dogs to date, so far as the record shows, but their backers will expect them to. A man running for president is supposed to be as firmly pro-dog as he is anti-Sin.

## State Political Spot Seized by Republicans

Little Rock, May 10 —(UP)—The Republicans moved into Arkansas' political spotlight today as the multiple Democratic candidates marked time.

The G-O-P will hold its state convention here tomorrow, at which time a candidate for governor will be selected to oppose the Democratic nominee in the November general election.

Despite reports that the Republicans might pass up the "election of state candidates in hopes of carrying Arkansas in the November presidential election, National Committeeman Wallace Townsend said candidates for other state offices may also be nominated.

In addition fifth congressional district delegates will meet prior to noon to name an opponent for Congressman Brooks Hays of Little Rock. Earlier the third district G-O-P named former Madison County Sheriff Dalton Depson as a candidate to oppose Rep. Jim Trimble of Bauxite.

Charles R. Black of Corning will be the convention's keynote speaker and will serve as temporary chairman.

In other business the Republicans will adopt a platform and elect four delegates-at-large to the national convention in Philadelphia June 21st. Ten other delegates are chosen from the various congressional districts.

Townsend said the delegation generally goes to the national gathering unopposed. However, state chairman Osro Cobb of Little Rock predicted some time ago that at least half of the delegates would be in an informal secret poll at Batesville. In the poll Stassen received 16 votes to 14 for New York's Thomas E. Dewey, five for Michigan's Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg, and four for Taft.

Action in the eight Democratic gubernatorial candidate camps remained slow although all accepted an invitation by the young Democratic Clubs of Arkansas to speak on the same Little Rock program June 2nd. Each man will be allotted five minutes.

In Fort Smith Bob Ed Loftin announced the appointment of Robert D. Scott, Fort Smith Attorney, as campaign manager and opened permanent headquarters in the Hotel Ward there.

James Merritt of McGehe issued a statement declaring that his candidacy is not tainted with what he calls "political machines that have fought for control of the state government in the past."

Two other candidates—James (Uncle Mac) Mackrell of Little Rock and John Lonsdale of Lonsdale—continued their vigorous campaigning. Lonsdale was to be in Menard today, in Waldron tomorrow and in Hot Springs on Wednesday for an Elks Club meeting.

Mackrell will be in Wynne tomorrow in Searcy Wednesday, Texarkana Thursday, Nashville Friday and in Arkadelphia Saturday.

Only one candidate, Sid McMath of Hot Springs, has named permanent headquarters last week. Others, including Horace Thompson and Jack Holt of Little Rock, continued to work on permanent quarters.

The remaining candidate, Charles Fleming of Forrest City, is not expected to open a Little Rock office.

## Slow Paralysis Creeping Over Nation

By ALFRED LEECH

Chicago, May 10 (UP)—A slow, deadly paralysis began creeping over the nation today in advance of the threatened railroad strike.

Everywhere throughout the country, business firms, industries, local governments and welfare organizations were preparing to roll with the blow of the crippling strike, now only a few hours away.

The strike would affect virtually every home in the country within a few days—many within a matter of hours as workers are laid off for lack of materials or shipping space for products.

The strike is scheduled to hit each time zone at clocks touch six a. m. Workers will complete their scheduled runs before swinging down from their cabs and towers to join the walk-out. The striking unions said they would man all runs the railroads choose to start up to 5:59 a. m.

A few railroads will try to con-

## Light House



All utilities are paid for by the landlord of this one-room apartment in Milwaukee, Wis. The new tenant, a robin, gets light and heat from a 25-watt bulb. It's a broken street light.

## All Free European Nations Invited to Conference to Consider 'One World' Dream

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Delegates of 22 European nations attending the Congress at the Hague to consider formation of a United States of Europe, appear to be drawing heavily for inspiration on that dream of the generations—"one world."

The proposed organization is linked with the western European union formed recently by Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg. All "free European countries" are invited to join, and it's interesting to note that exiled leaders from Czechoslovakia, Rumania, Yugoslavia and Finland, are participating unofficially in the Congress.

Britain's wartime prime minister, Winston Churchill, set the pace for the parley with one of his dramatic speeches in which he envisages, in effect, a peaceful three bloc world. This ultimately would comprise Pan America, the Russian bloc and a union of Europe which would include the far-flung British commonwealth. These three groups would be a subordinate necessary part of the United Nations.

Thus the Congress is furnishing fine old silver. The nineteenth century saw much discussion of a United States of Europe. However, it didn't click. There was too much power politics, which finally precipitated World War One. Still, the ideal was pursued by such stalwarts as Aristide Briand of France, Dr. Thomas Masaryk, first president of Czechoslovakia, and his successor, Eduard Beneš, who was unable to prevent the Communistic rape of his little republic.

And do you know where much of the inspiration for this union of nations came from? It was from the success achieved by the federation of the United States of America.

The last major effort to form a United States of Europe—prior to the present attempt—was in 1929 when Briand, then premier of France, announced his intention of working for such a union through the League of Nations. It was my privilege to observe at close range as this great idealist labored on a project which was a life ambition. He got much support, but the idea was too advanced for his time.

There were several schools of thought in those days. One proposed to divide the world into five groups—the British Empire, Pan America, China and Japan, the Russian states and Pan Europa. This school regarded Russia as Asiatic rather than European, and even then it was recognized that communism and democracy were incompatible.

Well, the power politics and un-blooming ambitions for conquest finally landed us in another world war which demonstrated clearly enough that a third conflict might destroy the civilization we know. So we now see men of reason and good-will trying to form unions which not only will aid economic rehabilitation but will strengthen the hand of peace.

The only dissidents are those who are impelled by greed of conquest. As for the meeting at the Hague, Churchill as honorary chairman, and key-note speaker, declared: "We aim at the eventual participation of all the peoples throughout the continent whose society and way of life are not in discord with the charter of human rights and the sincere expression of free democracy. We welcome any country here the people own the government, and not the government the people."

"The Congress recognized that it is the urgent duty of the nations of Europe to create an economic and political union in order to assure security and social progress, the resolution said.

The draft said creation of a European assembly, chosen by parliament of participating nations, is "a matter of real urgency."

The assembly would "stimulate and give expression to European public opinion; advise of means of bringing about economic and political union of Europe; examine the legal and constitutional implications arising from the creation of such a union and prepare the necessary plans."

The delegates said the union "should be open to all European nations democratically governed and which undertake to respect a charter of human rights."

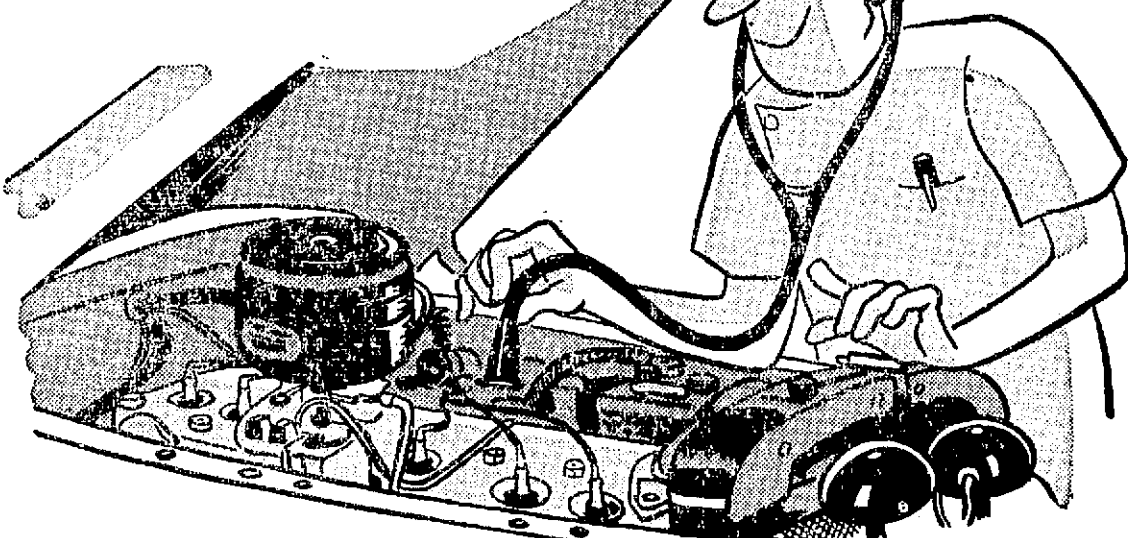
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## Polar Bear Cubs Greet Civilization



With a look of natural bewilderment, these two Alaskan polar bear cubs take their first peek at "civilization." The gift of Willibald Hoffman to the Milwaukee, Wis., Washington Park zoo, they've just arrived from the Arctic. Hoffman is shown welcoming the pair.

## He's Too Old for His Job



Robert Lis, left, 16-year-old leading soprano with Chicago's Paulist Choristers, is retiring because of "old age." Old for a boy soprano, that is. Lis' successor, Robert Prince, right, 12, will take over the lead soprano parts. He's been understudying Lis for two years.